

**REMARKS**

This claim for priority and second preliminary amendment is being filed within four months of the filing date of the present application application to claim priority of an earlier filed application – serial no. 09/631,179. It is respectfully submitted that this complies with Rule 78(a)(2)(ii).

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gerald Levy", with a stylized flourish at the end.

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